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Please enter the following enclosed documents in the above-identified patent application.

1. Response;
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3. "Fund Democracy."

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